

MANY HEADS ARE SPLIT IN FIGHT AMONG IRISHMEN

Four Hundred Policemen Are Called
Out to Suppress the Riots.

DUBLIN, Nov. 16.—Rioting between the Hibernian and Arthur Lynch factions, as a result of the Parliamentary election in Galway, was renewed last night. The Lynchites stormed the Unionist quarters and forcibly demolished the doors and windows. Numbers of persons were injured and several heads were split.

Colonel Lynch has not yet appeared on the scene and is not expected. The Nationalists assert that if the Colonel is elected he will be "smuggled" inside the House of Commons to take the oath and then "face the music" if accused of treason for fighting in behalf of the Boers.

John Dillon is actively campaigning against Mr. Plunkett, his object, it is alleged, being to cause Mr. Plunkett's retirement from the Vice Presidency of the Irish Agricultural and Industries Department, which will probably follow his defeat. Mr. Dillon's attitude is in line with his denunciation of John Redmond, because the latter so warmly supported Mr. Plunkett's projects for the regeneration of agriculture in Ireland, on the Parliamentary Committee, whose labors resulted in the formation of the new Department.

Four hundred extra policemen were drafted to Galway today and were patrolling the streets. A large force of police is held at the court house in readiness for eventualities.

MONTANA TRAIN ROBBER MAKES A CONFESSION.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 16.—The Montana train robbers suspect has acknowledged that he is Bon Kilpatrick, a brother of Don Kilpatrick. Both are said to have been members of the gang of train robbers led by "Bill" Carver, who was killed last spring. He admitted that he was reared near Paint Rock, Texas.

Herbert Crawford of Chouteau county, Montana, has arrived here to see the prisoner. The Sheriff and County Attorney Pray of Chouteau county were on their way here with requisition papers when a telegram reached them at St. Paul that the prisoner was to be tried in St. Louis. Mr. Pray returned to Montana and Sheriff Crawford came on to St. Louis unofficially to get a look at one of the men he had chased so hard last summer.

ISTHMIAN CANAL TREATY REMAINS TO BE SIGNED.

LONDON, Nov. 16.—So far as the British government is concerned, all that remains to be done in connection with the Isthmian Canal is for Lord Pauncefote and Secretary of State Hay to affix their signatures to the treaty. Such minor suggestions as have been made after the British emissaries arrived at Washington have been disposed of, and the Foreign Office awaits news of the signing of the convention, though it has not received any intimation as to when this is likely to occur. No draft of the treaty has been cable here for the good reason that the document is safely locked away in the Foreign Office files, where it has been since prior to Lord Pauncefote's departure from this country. The Ambassador was empowered to sign on behalf of Great Britain the first day he arrived in the United States, if such a course seemed to him advisable. He is acting with full power, and the officials presume that he is only awaiting the convenience of the State Department at Washington.

LAST ROUGH EDGE OF THE GREAT STRIKE.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Nov. 16.—The last remaining rough edge of the late great strike of the steel and tin workers is likely to be smoothed over tonight. When the strike was settled by President Shaffer the tin workers refused to go back to their old places, and they have been idle since July 15 last. Now, however, they are evincing indications of growing tired of their long idleness, and a movement is on foot to have the strike officially declared at an end.

This will probably be done at tonight's meeting.

THREATEN TO INJURE HIS SON.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Nov. 16.—Leonard S. Smith, president of a manufacturing company, received a letter full of threats of atrocities to be committed on his 6-year-old son unless Mr. Smith would pay immunity with \$5,000 cash. Mr. Smith took counsel and left an envelope filled with blank paper and placed a man on watch. Two men appeared, but did not take the envelope, apparently being satisfied that a trap had been set for them.

LONDON FOG THE CAUSE OF ACCIDENTS.

LONDON, Nov. 16.—From 12 to 20 degrees of frost, unprecedented at this time of the year, and a dense fog in most parts of the country, are winding up a week notable for its abnormal weather and are adding to the long list of casualties occasioned by the recent gales. Railroad traffic in and around London is seriously distracted, while train collisions are reported from various points. The most serious of these was on the London, Chatham and Dover line, when seventeen persons were injured. All traffic on the river Thames is at a standstill, and several accidents preceded the stoppage. The fog in South London is so dense that road traffic is almost impracticable. Omnibus passengers have been forced to leave the vehicles and walk. Notwithstanding the density of the fog, the Automobile Club turned out in force for its annual spin today. Hundreds of cars participated in the display and glistered felt their way through the darkness.

The Channel steamers are greatly delayed. There was skating in some parts of the Kingdom today.

GREAT BRITAIN TOYING WITH NICARAGUA.

LONDON, Nov. 16.—The negotiations between the governments of Great Britain and Nicaragua with regard to the Mosquito coast have been very voluminous, but it is now believed that Nicaragua can provide a satisfactory guarantee for the protection of the natives and enable Great Britain to rid herself of a responsibility which brings with it no advantage. The question of a suitable guarantee has been chiefly responsible for the prolongation of the matter, Lord Lansdowne, British Foreign Secretary, insisting that the Indians must be adequately protected. Beyond this point the Foreign Office displays little interest in the matter, believing that Great Britain's rights on the Mosquito coast are valueless and no quid pro quo is being sought from Nicaragua.

DASTARDLY ATTEMPT TO WRECK FAST PASSENGER TRAIN ON A PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD

Fiends Place Dynamite on the Track and Blow Up the
Engine—Passengers are not Injured.

YORK, Pa., Nov. 16.—The Southwestern Express on the Northern Central Railway was wrecked last night by a charge of dynamite placed under the tracks near Black Ridge, a short distance north of York. The train was running at the rate of forty-five miles an hour when the explosion occurred. Passengers were panic-stricken but all escaped injury. A piece of rail two and a half feet long was blown off and two coaches were derailed and drawn over the ties a distance of 200 feet before the train was brought to a stop. The engine had its headlight blown off and the windows of the cab were shattered. The trucks under the express car and the day coach were badly wrecked. A hole was blown in the road-bed large enough to bury a man. Where the rails were broken they were cut off as if done by shears.

The wreck occurred at one of the loneliest spots between Harrisburg and Baltimore. The police of this city advance the theory that the robbers had set the dynamite for the Buffalo Express, which is said to carry considerable money, but for some unaccountable reason that train passed over the charge without exploding it.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Nov. 16.—Reports of the dastardly attempt to wreck the Southwestern Express on the Northern Central Branch of the Pennsylvania Railway were received at the office of the company this morning. Detectives were ordered to begin operations from York and men were also sent from this city and Harrisburg. There is little hope that the dynamiters will be captured, as it is thought they undoubtedly made their way to one of the large cities before daylight.

The wrecked train is the Southwestern Express, which leaves Washington at 8:45. The train had left York and was en route for Harrisburg when the explosion occurred.

STRANAHAN OFFERED COLLECTORSHIP OF NEW YORK.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—State Senator A. A. Stranahan, of Oswego, New York, after his call upon the President today, made the following statement:

"President Roosevelt today tendered in the office of Collector of New York, with the understanding that I shall assume its duties April 1st. Such an arrangement would permit me to do my winter's work at Albany. I am especially anxious to finish my term as Senator in justice to my constituency and also in the hope that as Chairman of the Committee on Cities, I may be able to aid the administration of Mayor Low and assist the policies of Governor Odell. The revised charter will undoubtedly require attention from the Legislature and any work in connection with that has familiarized me with the subject.

"The office of Collector comes to me absolutely unsolicited, and I may say, with the cordial concurrence of the President and Senator Platt. The Senator undoubtedly desired the reappointment of Mr. Bidwell but if this was not to be done, he is entirely satisfied with me. No suggestions as to my policy in the office have been made to me or condition coupled with the appointment, except that I give the best possible administration in my power, in the belief that in faithful public service is to be found the greatest advantage to one's party."

BANK TELLER GETS AWAY WITH SIXTY THOUSAND.

NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—Officers of the Williamsburg Savings Bank said today that the amount of the defalcations of George Zollhofer, the paying teller of the bank, would exceed \$60,000, the sum which it was first reported had been stolen. General J. V. Meserole, president of the bank, said today that the experts had gone back twenty-six months in the books and that they had already found defalcations amounting to \$50,000.

Zollhofer was today on the verge of nervous collapse and had two or three fainting spells in the basement of the bank, where the experts were at work.

This afternoon he was arrested on the charges of grand larceny and forgery.

The relatives of Harry E. Corbett, the dead paying teller, declare that Zollhofer's charges against him are false. They say he led an exemplary life and that he was most conscientious and trustworthy. Corbett died early this month.

The Williamsburg Bank has been in existence fifty years. Its present assets are \$38,619,961, and its liabilities, including interest due depositors to July 1, 1901, \$40,393,503.

BRIGANDS COME DOWN IN PRICE FOR MISS STONE.

SOFIA, Nov. 16.—The brigands who captured Miss Ellen M. Stone and Madam Tsilka have reduced the amount of ransom they demand to 20,000 pounds Turkish. Coincident with this intelligence is the information that the leaders of the band, if convinced that this is more than Mr. Dickinson will give, would accept 15,000 pounds sterling. Even this sum is greatly beyond the cash at Mr. Dickinson's disposal. Therefore, unless the captives of the missionary further abate their demands, there is no hope of an immediate settlement.

An agent who is in touch with the brigands reports they recognize they made a mistake in kidnapping Miss Stone. They would, however, consider it worse than a blunder to release her without an adequate ransom.

"There is no longer any fear regarding the brigands' intentions toward the captives. They declare themselves to be not robbers but patriots performing an unobscured task in the interests of a holy cause. The majority of the kidnappers are peasants and farmers, directed by a secret committee who rule its decisions."

MONEY MADE AT THE CHAMPIONSHIP PRIZE FIGHT.

The great heavy-weight championship fight is over, and now speculation is rife as to what each fighter received. Jeffries' share as the winner was \$4,000.00. Ruth's share as the loser was \$4,000.00, a very respectable sum, and worth a good beating. The balance of the gate went to the Twentieth Century Club.

The total receipts from the sale of tickets was \$39,875.00.

The total number of people present was 7,021. This number was divided as follows: Paid admission, 6,902; deadheads, 267; members of the press, 75; employees, 50.

Harry Corbett, the referee, received \$500 for his services.

The exact amount taken at the box office last night is announced as \$25,000.

OAKLAND PAINTER IS DEAD.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Nov. 16.—W. J. Vaughan, a painter, resident of Oakland, who came in contact with a live wire a week ago, died at an early hour this morning from his injuries.

FIRE WIPES OUT ONE OF YALE'S DORMITORIES.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 16.—Fire today practically ruined the finest of the Yale student dormitories, the Lathrop, which was erected a few years ago at a cost of \$300,000. The furnishings of the buildings and the personal effects of 200 or more students were also destroyed. Eugene Hale Winslow, a student, was out of from exit by the stairways and was rescued with difficulty from a fifth story window. He was unconscious when brought to the ground, and remains in that condition to the present time.

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Mrs. Lottie Logan did not Release a
Mortgage on the Record.

Pennmanship Expert Carl Esenshimer of San Francisco, today demonstrated in Judge Hall's court that the purported release of mortgage signed by Mrs. Lottie Logan of San Francisco to property in Berkeley was a forgery. The question of determining who the forger was will have to be settled by the Grand Jury to whom the matter will undoubtedly be referred.

In deciding the case, Judge Hall said that he was satisfied that the signature of Mrs. Lottie Logan on the release was not the same as that of the lady which was appended to other documents submitted to him for his inspection. It was not the same as that which had been written by Mrs. Logan under his eye in court. It did not require an expert to point out the discrepancies because it was apparent to him that the hand that had signed the release was not the hand that had written the other signatures of Mrs. Logan. That lady had testified that she had not executed the release and had never appeared before the notary, Kate Howard. He believed that such was the case. There was no reason why she should sign the release of the mortgage which she held to secure her for money advanced, because no proof had been made that she had been paid any money for such an execution. It was highly improbable that she would have signed a release without a consideration, and if she had signed it she would not have forgotten, and there would have been no purpose in concealing the fact.

Continuing, the court said: "I didn't like the manner of the man Robinson in any way upon the stand. I didn't like the manner much better of the man Parker on the stand. I think one or other or both of these men know more about the case than they have told us. Just what they do know I don't undertake to say."

The court set aside the bogus release and gave judgment in foreclosure. H. S. Patterson was appointed commissioner to conduct the sale.

The Robinson returned to by Judge Hall is J. Robinson. He has been a real estate agent in this city.

INCENDIARIES TRY TO BURN TWO HOUSES.

Incendiaries made a bold and nearly successful attempt early this morning to burn two houses belonging to Mrs. John Martin at the corner of Twenty-first and West streets.

The houses were unoccupied. The alarm was turned in at 6:30. When the fire engines reached the scene great volumes of fire and smoke were shooting through the roof of the house located at 1524 West street. The flames were subdued with difficulty. The loss is estimated at \$300.

Investigation by Chief N. A. Ball revealed the presence of coal oil in great quantities. The floor and walls of the building had been saturated. A shirt and a bundle of papers were also found heavily saturated with gasoline and coal oil.

The cottage next door, at 1520 West street, showed unmistakable evidences of the work of an incendiary. Running through the various rooms was a string of paper and excelsior saturated with gasoline and coal oil. Underneath the sink was two quart bottles of gasoline.

Mrs. Martin is having the matter thoroughly investigated by the police.

The West End Club and the Olympia Club are plainly violations of the law," said Chief Kiley today.

WOMEN INJURED.

BAKERSFIELD, Cal., Nov. 16.—Mrs. J. W. Breuner, a lady well known throughout this county, sustained a fracture of three ribs of the right side within two inches of the spinal column last evening, in Jewett's Lane, while driving to the Kern River oil fields, by being thrown violently to the ground by coming in collision with a double team which was being driven rapidly in the direction of this city. Mrs. Breuner was rendered unconscious by the fall. She was brought into this city for medical treatment by the men who were driving the team with which she collided, but their names were not ascertained.

HANCOCK IS SAFE.

NAGASAKI, Japan, Nov. 16.—The United States transport Hancock, which was reported ashore on the Straits of Shimonoseki, has been floated and is proceeding to Kobe.

MADE A BATTLE FOR LIFE.

LEAVENWORTH, Kas., Nov. 16.—J. E. Waldrup, a guard at the Fort Leavenworth military prison, who was shot during the mutiny at that institution November 7, died today of his wounds. Twenty-eight mutineers now become liable to a charge of murder. It was generally supposed that Frank Thompson, the negro who led the revolt, fired the shot that caused Waldrup's death. Thompson is one of seventeen convicts who have been captured since the outbreak.

Waldrup was born in Greenback, Tenn., in 1875. He served in Cuba during the Spanish War, in the United States Signal Corps, later becoming a guard at the prison. During the mutiny Waldrup was stationed on a tower on the Stockade and in the light that ensued he was shot in the hip. He fell to the floor but refused himself and fired into the crowd, killing Quinn Fort, one of the ringleaders. A moment later Waldrup, while in the act of firing again, was struck between the eyes with a pistol bullet. Then several convicts ran up the tower to secure weapons. Waldrup, although mortally wounded, clubbed the first man down with his rifle, but was too weak to further defend himself, and was rescued by other guards.

CORONER MURDERED.

CREEDE, Colo., Nov. 16.—Dr. A. N. Simpson, Coroner of Mineral county, was found dead in his office with a bullet wound in the center of the back. He was evidently murdered, as the nature and position of the wound preclude the possibility of suicide. There is no clue to the murderer.

Oberammergau Passion Play, Y. M. C. A. Hall, Monday and Tuesday evenings, November 18 and 19.

FIGHTS BARRED.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 16.—Chief of Police Kiley, on order of the Board of Police Commissioners, has issued orders prohibiting prize fights or boxing contests in St. Louis. The fight between Morris Rausch and Johnny Gotschford, scheduled to come off at the Olympia Club tonight, and about advertised for the West End Club Monday night between George Dixon and Abe Attel will not be permitted by the police.

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STATE REACHES OUT FOR DEAD MAN'S MONEY

Notice has been given to Jar Stanley and County Clerk Jordan T. E. Myron Wolf has been appointed the Attorney-General Tirey L. Fu to represent the people of the State the matter of the estate of William Leslie who died in July, 1899. At that time Stanley was Public Administrator and the money passed into his hands as administrator upon the heirs of the deceased could be found. The estate consists of \$2,575 in cash which is now in Stanley's possession.

The appointment of Wolf to represent the people means that the Attorney General feels the people may eschew the State of California.

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**STANDARD COMPANY
WANTS A NEW TRIAL**

The motion for a new trial in the case of C. Harlow against the Standard Improvement Company was continued in Judge Hall's court yesterday morning until next Friday. Harlow's house was destroyed by a big run into by a steam-roller of the defendant. Harlow got a verdict of damages. The company now wants to have the damages set aside on new hearing.

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COURT NOTES.

The mandamus case of the Contra Costa Water Company vs. City Attorney Breed went over till next Friday in Judge Ellsworth's court yesterday. Judge Ellsworth has sustained demurrer in the damage case of Elizabeth Schmidt vs. the Southern Railway Railroad Company, in which the female is recovering because of being killed by a San Ramon local train. Peter Emrich, of whose estate petitioner is administratrix.

exhibition of his field, and while Anthon was uttering, notwithstanding the fact that the bettors profited by the race. Anthon might have won had O'Connor had been from the start, but he made a wretched race of it and allowed Prejudice to go away with a big lead. Prejudice does not value the prize as she had never been shown any liking for mud of any kind. She went through it yesterday in the shape, however, probably because it was a good firm footing underneath the step.

Today will be "cut in" day for bookmakers, and some new faces will probably be seen on the list. Dr. Hoffmann, a society leader in the

The thrasher in charge of Barney Seal's track, who has been in the game for many years, said that he had seen some sharp practice, and yesterday General Manager Price warned him not to attempt the same kind of thing. Peterson was told that the jockey to ride Mrs. B. Bell for the purpose of fooling the room proprietors thought that the Woods was the only one who could ride the thing, and that he was to be paid for those acquainted with the scheme. The Woods has this to say about the matter: "I will not ride the thing, and Johnny Schor, who has a contract with Woods, was a part of the scheme. Schor won the thing, and I was not in it. I was not paid much. Mrs. Brunnell was second. New California Jockey Club has second place, and the room proprietors. Sharp practice will not be tolerated on track, no matter who is affected."

SWIMMING.

The program for tomorrow's swimming contest at the Municipal Baths is replete with interesting events. The main feature of the program is the "Live L Chace." This is a new form of amusement for swimmers, and consists of the manager of the Baths, "L," and the web-footed birds will be liberated the tank during the afternoon, and swimmers will endeavor to recapture them as speeded time. Tomorrow's program is: Fifty yard dash for juveniles one hundred yard dash for seniors, and the manager's box, under water, distance—Slingshot vs. Bottom. Fifty dash, A. Oberz vs. M. Oberz; live bottom, A. Oberz vs. M. Oberz; fifty yard dash; Johnson vs. seventy-five yard dash; Johnson vs. A. Oberz; live high diving, spring live diving, diving for plates.

COURSING


There will be some lively coursing at Melrose Park on the Haywards road tomorrow. Forty-eight dogs, the hounds in Alameda county, are up against the pack of San Francisco. Joe Jones, hounds, and Bill Church secured the fastest hares to be found at the contests. A large crowd will be out as one of the attractions will be Wilson, winner of last Sunday's race, who had completed his brilliant open plain coursing near Petaluma a few days ago.

Admission to the grounds will be utterly free to all and the gates will be kept open until some arrangement is completed with the street car company which insists on charging five cents riding four blocks beyond High street. Those who are not afraid of walking

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GOSSIP ABOUT THE GUBERNATORIAL CONTEST

SENATOR TOM FLINT IS FORCING THE ISSUE IN MANY OF THE COUNTIES. GAGE MEN PLANNING THEIR FIGHT IN CITY AND COUNTY.

(Special to the Tribune.)
SAN FRANCISCO, November 16.—Senator Tom Flint is forcing the issue. The gubernatorial campaign which he has been quietly conducting for the past year is now being publicly made, for since his arrival in the south last week all his little flags have been unfurled, and he and his friends are hard at it all over the State.

It is of course conceded that the contest as at present made up is between him and Governor Gage, for although the Executive has made no formal announcement of his candidacy there is enough handwriting on the wall, and everywhere else, for that matter, to indicate what his plans are. To define the situation stated more clearly, it is a fight between the party organization and those who are on what they term the reform end of things, while Flint has never needed as a political revolutionist the force of circumstances has this time placed him in the camp where everything of that nature exists.

To upset a party organization is a hard proposition, and Flint knows it. The hands that control the County Committees, city central organizations and the State body possess all the working machinery, and to wrest the power from them means not only herculean efforts but almost an uprising on the part of the voters. Whether or not Flint will be able to create enough sentiment to effect the latter movement remains to be seen, for it is in that direction that the principal work he has mapped out for himself remains to be done.

First making the general concession that Governor Gage is backed by both the State organization and the local machinery of most of the counties, let us glance at the situation from Flint's standpoint. In the extreme north, that is to say in Humboldt county, he can achieve little or nothing, in fact it is safe to say that he is not relying upon a vote from that source. John Campbell and John Bull are in control of affairs up there, and the party machine is a very strong one. It is true that ex-Senator Gillette represents Flint and has quite a local following, but the other end of the proposition has the top hand, and Governor Gage will undoubtedly capture the entire delegation.

After leaving Humboldt, though, Flint's campaign begins to be heard. In Siskiyou, Shasta, Trinity, Lassen, Modoc, Alpine and Mono he has scattering strength, while when Mendocino is reached it is an open secret that Alrick Duncan, the boss of that section, is a Flint man. It is understood, however, that Duncan, who is under obligations to the Governor for the appointment of his brother to a snug berth at the Mendocino Asylum will not get out and make an open fight for Flint so, as the Ukiah end of the county can be put up in the Governor's interests, the delegation will probably be a divided one.

Over in Davis's senatorial district, that is to say through the Amador and Calaveras sections, the State delegation will rest to a considerable extent upon the outcome of the legislative tussle now in progress there. Davis, who wants to return to the Senate, is being opposed by Assemblyman Billy Ralston, and as the machine has a long, keen knife for Davis, he will reciprocate if the opportunity offers. Davis has plenty of money just now with which to make his fight, and the canvass in progress has already assumed considerable dimensions. As Davis and Flint are friends, his victory would mean considerable strength for the San Benito man in that quarter, while on the other hand the triumph of Ralston would pave the way smoothly for Gage.

THE SACRAMENTO SITUATION.
When Sacramento is reached another interesting situation develops. The party organization was behind Land, and was defeated by Clarke in the recent election, so although the Mayor won the fight he takes office without any Republican machinery at his back. Next year therefore the Jack Wright wing of the party will have charge of the preliminaries for the primary and the only recourse Clarke will have will be to run independent delegates. This is doubtless the end that Flint will tie up with and he is relying upon having enough influence to seat his representatives in the State Convention should two sets of delegates be sent up. It is of interest too at this time to note that Bart Cammenga and Frank Daroux, the two individuals who control the sporting vote at the Capital are at odds. For many years they were political enemies but they were brought together on a business deal that secures to each of them a Western Union poolroom service. The combination did not last long though for now they have separated again, and those who understand them say that a reconciliation is at present out of the question. The influence of all this upon Sacramento politics becomes patent when it is stated that Daroux after securing his back upon his former political partner declared himself for Clarke and did such effective work for the Mayor that he is acknowledged as one of the factors that brought about his election.

ON THE BAY SHORE.
In Contra Costa county the Bishaw-Birmingham influence that won out at the last Senatorial fight will be directed in Flint's behalf, but although Jim Rankin is dead the machine there is not rusting by any means for there are lots of Gage men to look after his affairs. That particular county can be considered a stand-off as far as the two candidates are concerned.

valleys like conditions prevail. Congressman Combs who holds most of the strings in that district is a Flint man, but he is not going to engage in the gubernatorial fight, for to do so might jeopardize his own candidacy and he is taking care of himself first. Marin is a Gage county.

San Joaquin has developed two powerful factions, one of which is for Flint and the other for Gage. The former is led by Dr. Harkness, the Chairman of the County Central Committee. San Joaquin being one of the very few counties where the Flint people are in control of the local organization. Orrin Henderson who was candidate for Mayor of Stockton last time works with Dr. Harkness as does also ex-Congressman Lottitt, while on the other side the Gage forces are headed by Frank E. Lane. The gubernatorial split occurred over an appointment to the Stockton Asylum, for as Gage turned down the Harkness candidate and gave the place to Lane's man the Doctor and his friends are now on the Flint side of the fence.

IN SAN FRANCISCO.
The status of affairs in San Francisco is too well-known to require much discussion. Flint is with the victorious end and the administration forces really control the situation, for they have the County Central Committee and the patronage of the offices of County Clerk, Tax Collector, Treasurer and Sheriff and will be able to make a strong showing when the State Primary comes around. So far it is not known where the Call and the Chronicle stand on the Flint proposition. The former paper has declared itself for Preston for Governor, but as Flint is very close in a business way with the Chronicle people owing to the large interests he controls in the vicinity of their sugar factory down country it is believed that he will be able to receive their support later on.

It is not a very certain proposition though as far as the Chronicle is concerned for Flint openly fought De Young when the editor was a candidate for United States Senator and some personalities were expressed that many thought De Young would not be inclined to forgive. During the past couple of years though he has shown a more favorable spirit towards Flint, and it is therefore not considered unlikely that the Chronicle will in time come out for the San Benito man. With the Chronicle as with the Call it will be a case of "anything to beat Gage," and that is the loophole where Flint will be able to manipulate a fine fiction hand. Flint is expecting some strength in Alameda county, but to an outsider it looks as if that part of the State will be with Gage beyond all question. Even if Flint could get the Pardee influence in that county it would do him little added to the organization controls the situation in a way that does not give him a chance to break in. Flint always has had hopes of getting an entering wedge into Alameda county, but it is a tough proposition for him and when he makes up his mind to do it he does not feel justified in counting any delegates from the banner section.

THE COAST COUNTIES.
Along the coast counties Flint will find pretty well. He cannot touch San Mateo county, but in Santa Clara he has great hopes from the Good Government organization headed by the Hayes brothers. This league has had many a hard tussle with the local machine and experienced a complete rout at the last city election, for the Mackenzie people swept the municipality from one end to the other. Since that time, however, the Hayes brothers have purchased both the San Jose Herald and the Mercury, and as these two organs will be directed in the interests of the Government Club

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A 60-year-old woman writes: "My over-indulgent papa used to say, at the table, 'Why not let the child have what she likes; it won't hurt her any.' He referred particularly to my drinking coffee, which I was very fond of as a child. He honestly thought it didn't hurt me, for with his strong body, apparently without nerves, he was not consciously affected by coffee, but the effect on me, a bundle of nerves, was to develop restlessness and stunt my growth."

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they are hoping to get the whip hand next year. No announcement has been made in any quarter that the combination will be directed in Flint's interests, but he is figuring that way, for the reason that he knows the elements in question are not going to line up for Gage.

It is strange by the way to see Jim Dea tied up with a reform movement as he is at the present time. His principal purpose now is to down Mackenzie, who dechored him, and although the Good Government League has not welcomed him as an ally, he intends to train in that camp and take chances of being admitted to full fledged membership as the campaign wears on.

Throughout the San Joaquin Valley Flint thinks he will do well. He is relying upon Dr. Rowell to look after Fresno county for him and Senator Smith to take care of Kern, in addition to which he considers the fact that as a farmer will carry great weight. Governor Gage though is satisfied that the low tax-rate will more than stand off anything Flint secures as an agriculturist, for the average farmer is not a politician, and the principal and in fact the only thing that he cares about is how much taxes he has to pay. Governor Gage's fine showing in that connection will therefore be as effective a trump as any Flint can play.

THE BARD STRONGHOLDS.
Down in the Bard counties, that is to say in Monterey, Ventura and Santa Barbara, Flint will have all the advantage of the situation. The junior United States Senator is avowedly a Flint man and although his position does not permit of his doing any active gubernatorial politics, all his influences and strength will be thrown to the San Benito candidate. Furthermore, Bard is using his patronage in a way that will help along Flint's ambitions, and all things considered the counties in question can be credited to the Flint faction.

South of Tehachapi though is where Flint hopes this Bard influence will be mainly felt, and there it is he is making his principal fight at present. He has secured the open support of the anti-Gage newspapers and engineered by what is termed down that way the "Courtroom crowd" he is essaying the formidable task of knocking out the Governor in his own county. Senator Baile is the directing figure in the Flint campaign, and as he has some notable alliances the combination that has been formed is apparently a formidable one.

Gov. Gage, though, is too good a politician to be caught napping in his own preserves. Some of the best patronage at his disposal has during the past three years been bestowed upon Los Angeles men with the result that he has a splendid organization on hand. Despite the Bard influence and the opposition of the Flint antagonists to the machine, the Governor and his friends have no fear about being able to hold their own in Los Angeles county. Flint in his newspaper interviews has been saying that he anticipates at least forty per cent of the Los Angeles delegation, but on the other hand the Gage hosts will not make him any concessions whatever, for after looking over the situation they say that they will be able to get a solid Gage delegation out of the county.

In Orange county it is conceded that Flint has some powerful alliances, while his friend Senator Caldwell will do what he can in Riverside county. In San Bernardino the situation depends a good deal upon the contest now in progress between Steve Kelley and John Lynch for the Collectorship of Internal Revenue. When the dividing line is drawn it stands to reason that Lynch is found upon the Gage side of it, while perforce Kelley locates himself in the other direction. Both Kelley and Lynch will struggle for the mastery of the San Bernardino county next year, and the gubernatorial issue will hang thereon. Kelley's victory being a home run for Flint, while Lynch's success will be correspondingly satisfactory to Gage.

THE SPECKELS SECTION.
San Diego county looks more like a Spreckels proposition than ever before, for the purchase of the local paper, the Tribune, and the expenditure of large sums recently for waterfront improvements, and at Coronado have made the Call people unusually strong in the southern frontier county. In any event what Spreckels does not control down that way Grant does, and as it is a case of six of one and half a dozen of the other between those two from an administration standpoint, Gage cannot count that section in his column. Neither can Flint for that matter, for the Spreckels people in San Diego are talking Preston for Governor, and are not inclined to look in any other direction. What Flint relies upon though is that Preston will undoubtedly strike his name from the list of gubernatorial applicants as soon as he sees what a remote chance he has of landing in Gage's official shoes, and when this is done, Flint thinks that the San Diego strength having no where else to go means.

The Gage people had an idea that they could get a foothold in San Diego county by reason of the Congressional fight. With Smith of Bakersfield the most prominent candidate at the northern end of the district, and Nutt of San

Diego occupying a similar position at the southern extremity, they decided to choose the lesser of the two evils for them and go to the San Diego man. In return for this strength, they thought that Nutt should be able to do some good for them in his home county, but such is not proving the case, for Nutt is not anxious to make a move of that nature. San Diego therefore holds out but little inducements for Gage, though Flint of course regards it as a land of promise for him.

THE GAGE OUTLOOK.
So much for Flint and his prospects. The State has been reviewed somewhat optimistically from his standpoint, so that those who only get stray pieces of gossip from this or that section, may know how the situation is regarded as a whole by those interested in his candidacy.

With the Gage movement, however, the real political strength is associated. Flint says that he is the second choice of every man he talks to, but that it is hard work to find working politicians to come out and boldly declare themselves for him first, last, and all the time. And that is the true inwardness of the situation. The party machine has so many ramifications that no one figuring upon a political future cares to antagonize it. The very fact that it is being operated in Gage's interests gives the Governor a source of power that reaches in every direction and in quarters from whence convention strength comes.

Suppose therefore that Gage gets the delegations of San Francisco, Alameda, Sacramento and Los Angeles counties where the party machine is at its best. With such a combination Flint would be powerful, for the interior counties could not buck against the majority votes possessed by the Big Four. Then again, the Governor and the party machine have friends in most of the counties where Flint is relying upon for support, so in the event of a close vote they would be just as liable to swing the situation as he could.

It is a pretty fight as the situation exists now, though six months hence when the convention is at hand, it will doubtless be a palpably one-sided affair. There is no telling anyhow what may develop in politics. Who for example would four months ago have believed that a comparatively unknown fiddler would be the next Mayor of San Francisco?

HERE AND THERE.
Judge Nicoll of Tuolumne, a leading Democratic candidate for a Supreme Court nomination is in town.

Frank Brandon, Secretary of the Senate, has been passing the past couple of weeks in Siskiyou county.

Senator Tom Flint will make a trip to Mexico before he comes north again. He expects to be absent from this part of the State for about five weeks.

Senator Tyrell of Grass Valley, who has been down on a business matter for ten days or so has returned to his home in Nevada county.

Cashier of the Mint, Dan Cole, has gone to his old stamping ground in Sierra for a vacation.

HATTON.

NEW QUARTERS FOR BOARD OF TRADE.

At a meeting of the Directors of the Board of Trade yesterday it was unanimously agreed to endorse the proposition of advertising the resources of the City of Oakland in the Southern Pacific monthly magazine "Sunset."

The following members were admitted as members of the Oakland Board of Trade at a meeting yesterday morning: James A. Joyce, day goods, 555 Washington street; W. B. Allen Co., drapery, 851 Broadway; George Moschler, drapery, Thirteenth and Washington streets; Barker & Kinney, plumbing goods, 481 Eighth street; S. N. Fodge & Son, real estate, 1150 Broadway; Wardard, real estate, 903 Broadway; E. L. Sargent, sewing machines, 463 Twelfth street.

The Executive Committee was authorized to look for new quarters for the Board of Trade. The present quarters in the Third Bakersfield block, on the corner of Fourteenth and Washington, are not considered spacious enough to display properly the exhibit of California products, which the Board contemplates keeping.

The Committee will report on the success in obtaining more suitable quarters at the next meeting of the Board.

JAMES GREENE IS IN SERIOUS TROUBLE.

Last night James Greene severely beat his sweetheart, Mrs. Kate Wesley, residing on Third street, between Franklin and Broadway, inflicting injuries which are of a dangerous character.

According to Mrs. Wesley, Greene came to see her in an intoxicated condition and without provocation proceeded to give her a beating, ending with striking her over the head with a brass pitcher. She was rendered unconscious by the blow.

The police are looking for Greene. He will be arrested on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon if he is found.

DEATHS REPORTED.

Benjamin D. Fisher, aged 73 years, died on November 14 at his residence, 2018 Adeline street, of fatty degeneration of the heart. The deceased was a native of Missouri. The body was shipped to Newman, Stanislaus county, for interment.

Alma Ruth Armes, aged 4 years, died at the home of her parents, 1735 Fifth street, on November 14, of pneumonia. The funeral was held yesterday. The interment took place in Mountain View Cemetery.

Frank Hamilton, aged 62 years, a native of New South Wales, died of injuries accidentally received on November 13 at his residence, 804 Fifty-fifth street. The funeral was held yesterday. The interment took place in Mountain View.

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LEGAL SPARRING IN DIVORCE CASE.

Mrs. Abbott Wants to Get Money in Order to Fight Case.

Preliminary sparring in the divorce proceedings of Mrs. C. E. Abbott of Berkeley from her husband, caused several lively episodes in Judge Greene's court.

Abbott was represented by ex-Judge Frick, and Mrs. Abbott had a pair of attorneys, one of whom was M. J. Miller.

Mrs. Abbott seeks to compel her husband to defray the expenses of the divorce suit and, at the same time, to maintain her during the pendency of the trial.

By way of avoiding this duty, which is generally considered unpleasant by husbands who are defendants in divorce cases, Abbott claims that he is not possessed of anything in the way of worldly goods, and that he cannot defray the expenses of his wife's suit.

Yesterday, before Judge Greene, the wife sought to make it appear that her husband is half-judge in the book store on Center street, Berkeley, heretofore under the name of M. J. Abbott & Son. The store, it is alleged, is not now under that firm name, but is said to be the property of the mother, the change in proprietorship never having really taken place, the alteration of the name having been inspired simply with the idea of preventing the fair petitioner from securing money from her spouse to conduct her suit.

A barber named J. A. Cobb swore that Abbott had told him about the time the suit was to be brought that he wanted to "concentrate his finances." Frick asked him if those were the exact words used by Abbott, who at the time was going on a note of Cobb's for the accommodation of the latter. Cobb then testified that he could not swear to it. Still later, Cobb swore that those were the words and that Abbott stated at the same time that he had a half-interest in the store.

In the course of cross-examination by Frick, Cobb admitted that he had called on the fair plaintiff at her present place of abode in San Francisco, and further, that he was a married man.

In response to a question by Judge Greene, Cobb admitted that he had not taken his wife with him when he called on Mrs. Abbott. Cobb was then excused, but Miller asked him to take the stand again.

"He will take it only with the Court's permission," said Judge Greene. "You have not asked the permission of this court. What is it you want to show by this witness?"

"Simply, your honor," said Miller, "that when he called on Mrs. Abbott in San Francisco he simply acted with interest as her friend, and not because of interest in this case."

"After that prompting by you, the witness will not be allowed to take the stand," said the court. "You are trying to help the witness, and I am not going to allow it."

Miller pleaded that what he had done was not intentional.

"You had better," said Judge Greene, "keep the blood out of your head and act as an attorney ought to act."

W. A. Bull, father of Mrs. Abbott, testified that a short time before the divorce proceedings were commenced, he knew that his daughter was going to leave Abbott and he told Abbott that he would not let him get a divorce from her. He also stated that Abbott had told him before marriage, that he (Abbott) had a half-interest in the store, that the store was worth \$5,000, and that the concern owned only \$300.

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SATURDAY LETTER FROM METROPOLIS.

MAX HIRSH AND THE GRAND OPERA—GEORGE H. MYERS OF THE ORPHEUM—W. E. JOSLYN AND THE TALES THAT ARE TOLD HIM.

BY F. R. PORTER.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 16.—Max Hirsch, plus achates of Maurice Grau, the world's premier impresario, is deeply and fairly-haired, despite he is around 40 in years, is regarded of health, and has a wiry, dapper build. There is content for dark-eyed Mr. Hirsch in this regard: One of San Francisco's members of the haute volée, or, as some would say, of the bourgeoisie, is half-bald, although aged but 28. Anxiously removing his hat, the other day, he asked a friend: "You don't see any gray hairs, do you?" "Not one," was the truthful reply. "By the bye, I am told that Maurice Grau will surely make on his season much more than his expenses. Mr. Sol Plaatky, the box-office expert of the Columbia Theater, figured that Grau's receipts will approximate \$100,000, and that the San Francisco outlay, and auxiliary outgo, will be nearly \$75,000. But Mr. Grau's song birds are not so awfully costly to him, considering that

of spending money at the institution with which he has been connected for 10, these many years. Regarded as one of the best in his line in the United States, he has a past far removed from a shrewd. Gifted with literary culture of a high degree and being a dispassionate judge of the efficacy of pictorial illustration, he is enabled to make good in any situation demanding his help. His ability ranks equally valuable in selecting media for the matter of calling attention to what his house offers. He has to deal with people who, as representatives of advertising mediums, desire to extract from him the full pound of flesh. It is here that Grau's receipts will approximate \$100,000, and that the San Francisco outlay, and auxiliary outgo, will be nearly \$75,000. But Mr. Grau's song birds are not so awfully costly to him, considering that



MR. GEORGE H. MYERS
Head Salesman, Ticket Office, The Orpheum, San Francisco.

Patti's charge used to be \$5,000 a performance, in advance. Mr. Hirsch's terms were \$100, spot cash. "Cobb" is paid, I am informed, \$1,500 a role. She is the star attraction of the troupe. Eumes receives \$1,000, Caddis, Sembrich, Sanderson and De Reszke, \$500, the leading tenor, \$100, and the other members of the troupe, \$25 a week, and the chorus, \$10 a week. The chorus leaders, each \$40 a week, and the chorus, each \$30 a week. So it appears that Mr. Grau must make much revenue from his business of serving heavy opera here, before he can begin to have funds for his own bank account. However, thanks to the clever work of Alfred Bouvier, the resident director of the enterprise, his business promises a pleasing harvest for Maurice Grau.

George H. Myers, chief ticket vender of the Orpheum Theater, is known by face to almost every resident of Oakland and vicinity. The number of pastebards he slides across the wicket ledge monthly must aggregate a colossal figure, for the Orpheum has a huge capacity which is fully tested about every one of the ten performances there, weekly.

Mr. Myers, who for five years was in charge of the box-office at the California Theater, and who prior thereto was at the Baldwin Theater, has been a fixture in the Orpheum for a long time. His engaging manners, prompt responses and quiet tact have made him generally popular with Orpheum patrons. His business methods have acquired him the prestige in the theatrical world which gave "Louie" Morgenstern—now of the Knickerbocker Theater, New York, but formerly of San Francisco and Oakland—such wide renown. All of his professional career Mr. Myers has been notable in this town as a wearer of fine, but decorous, fashion-plate raiment. Recently he became a bachelor. He espoused a San Jose belle, Miss Bertha Moser, whose family now reside in this metropolis. Mr. Myers is an exemplar in domestic fidelity. Because he sells tickets, he does not assume to be an actor. The "post" of a commercial bargain counter, while the stage is the artistic antithesis, or the real show.

W. E. Joslyn, who lately got back from a trip to New York City and other Eastern points, is one of the executives of the Orpheum who has never been busy in the public eye. And the same verdict may be rendered in reference to Andrew Davis and Al Martin, the master pilots of that monster establishment, which, apropos, has now as much a topic with traveling sight-seers, bound hither, as was Woodward's Gardens twenty years ago. Mr. Joslyn is vested with the duty of heralding the advantage

Many times a week there are seekers for tribute who learn a salutary lesson as to the probable worth of their publications for procuring new custom for the Orpheum, but the rebuke, as it often is, will be couched in inoffensive phrases. A volume of extremely entertaining material could be easily written concerning the humorous side of the inoperative arguments addressed with appropriate tones, gestures and grimaces, day after day, to Mr. Joslyn, the sultors being parties whose tale, if true, would breed an immense calculated to produce the investment desired. No wonder Mr. Joslyn enjoys an occasional journey to some far-away neighborhood.

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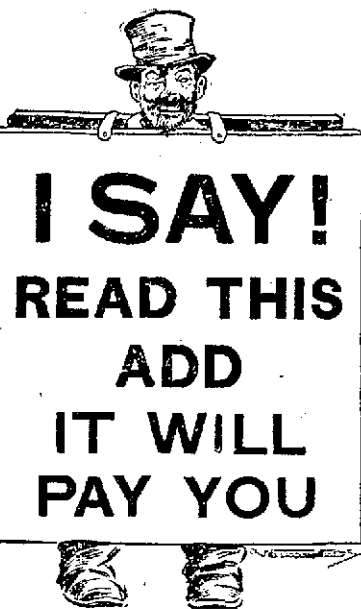
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during the next two weeks to make room for other goods now on the way. Odd dressers and dressing tables in Oak and Bird's-eye Maple—Brass and Iron Beds—Chiffoniers—Cobbler and wood seat and Willow Rockers—Ladies' Desks—In fact everything thought of for housekeeping.

Our prices are always the lowest. All goods marked in plain figures.

Extra Special

To make room we will give an extra 10 per cent discount on all goods till December 1st.



We buy for spot cash and sell for spot cash and knock prices to pieces—See our goods and prices, and remember that this week we give 10 per cent discount on everything in our store.

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SAYS FAREWELL TO THE ROAD.

Employees of the Oakland Transit
Give a Banquet to W. F. Tiffany.

There have been a number of banquets at the Galindo Hotel in which street railway men have been either entertainers or guests but none of them exceeded in interest the spread which was served there last night at which farewells were bidden to Walter H. Tiffany, master mechanic of the Oakland Transit Company.

The attendance was larger, the spirit of fraternity had in it more cordiality and the menu was much more appetizing than signified any previous functions of the kind at this hostelry.

Mr. Tiffany has been connected with the railway company in question for a number of years. He has stood well in the estimation of the management of his fellow workmen and of the people of the community with whom he has come in contact. He has, however, severed his connection with the company and will leave shortly for Portland, where he will re-enter the business.

The tables had been beautifully garlanded, and the menu, which bespoke the fullness of the Galindo larder, was served by a bevy of pretty girls dutifully attired under the immediate direction of Mrs. Barbara Allen, the proprietor of the hotel.

Every man in the system who could be spared from his post of duty was present, and the guests were as big a body of men as ever ran a car or did justice to a meal. Toasts of wit, sense and sentiment were proposed and responded to in some instances with surprising eloquence. The genial disposition of the guest was apostrophized and the kindest wishes for his future prosperity were expressed with a heartiness which was most affecting.

The toastmaster was J. Q. Brown, assistant general manager of the company. Among the speakers were J. P. Potter, superintendent of the Western division; A. H. Smith of the East Oakland division; H. Kelton of the Berkeley division; W. Stewart of Hayward division and Jerry Cronin of "the flat-car."

W. P. Kelley, general superintendent, presented Mr. Tiffany with a handsome fob with a gold chain, on which was a car in his relief.

Among those present were Harry Hart-

stone, P. Coyne, S. R. Longwell, James McNamara, W. D. Wilcox, W. J. Bathurst, E. T. Sumner, Peter E. Wilson, George McCabe, D. Corrigan, H. Hyland, S. A. Randall, J. B. Marble, W. H. Miner, H. Zersing, Dan O'Brien, J. E. Brown, J. Peterson, H. E. Jamison, F. A. Brown, J. H. Dent, S. Nelson, George H. Chappell, G. O. Sibley, Dan O'Connell, T. O'Connell, T. Mathewson, B. Bowler, P. Willis, E. Viers, T. H. Coker, J. Helms, H. Nielsen, B. P. Beynon, W. A. Currier, A. L. Hansen, C. Hagstrom, Geo. Donnell, Chas. De Poy, J. O'Day, John Hynes, W. J. Kelley, L. W. Natta, H. Kelton, George Spink, A. C. Smith, A. Stuart, C. J. Toumey, J. Croon, S. C. Glead, Walker Heaver, T. D. Evans, W. A. Rumsey, C. Hoesbich, J. Wilkes, M. Morella, L. Mikelson, A. P. Gordon, H. E. Carey, J. McSherry, A. E. Neilligan, H. C. Smith.

MATCH FACTORY WILL OPEN IN BERKELEY.

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The Chinese merchants who compose the corporation have placed a lot of valuable machinery in the manufactory which is attracting considerable attention.

THE LIBERTH CASE COMES UP MONDAY.

The divorce case of Niels Liberoth against Elena Liberoth, in which a number of spicy things have been testified to, has been continued in Judge Ellsworth's court until next Monday morning.

CHANGE IN FIRM.

Mr. Salinger has associated himself with R. Romo, the dry goods merchant at the northwest corner of Washington and Eleventh streets, and hereafter the firm will be known as Salinger & Romo.

Mr. A. Blumenthal has severed his connection with the firm, but will conduct the trunk and leather department in the store mentioned.

PERFORMANCE AT DIETZ.

The Fischer Specialty Company will give an entertainment this evening and tomorrow night at Dietz Opera House. The program is an excellent one.

DENIES THE CHARGE.

Prof. Mott of the Oakland High school denies the charge that he struck Edward Pickles in the classroom. He says he properly disciplined the boy.

SENT TO PENITENTIARY.

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BURGLARS WORK IN PLEASANTON.

Saloons Robbed Under Cover of Night and the Prowlers Escape.

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Mmanuel Devaca has surprised his friends by leaving on Wednesday morning for Reno, where he will be married to a lady formerly of Sunol. Mr. Devaca has been a resident of Pleasanton for a number of years.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Johnson and little Annie and Ruth Devaney went to San Francisco Thursday to attend the funeral of a relative.

Miss Sophie Morkensen, who has been in San Francisco some time, has returned to Pleasanton.

Mr. Clausen and family have moved to Oakland, where they will make their home.

Miss Maggie Murray of Dublin was a visitor here Wednesday.

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Mrs. Cope has returned from a few days' visit in the bay cities.

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The Pleasanton Fire Department held a special meeting in the Town Hall on Railroad avenue early this week.

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The best man was the groom's brother, Rev. Paul Banks officiated, and at the close of the ceremony a banquet was served. The happy couple had gone on a tour of the southern part of the State, and on their return will occupy a fine cottage already built by Mr. Eden.

Dr. Lathrop, an optician, is in town on a business visit and may be persuaded to permanently locate here.

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Livermore Water & Power Co. Prepares to String Wires in the Town.

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COMPANY'S PARTY.

Company I, Fifth Regiment, N. G. C., gave an invitational party to their friends at the armory last night. A large crowd was in attendance and a general good time was had by the guests.

NEWS NOTES.

A carload of almonds was shipped to San Francisco this morning.

Several Livermoreans were in the city at the Ruhl-Jeffries match.

The Carl Birch Dramatic Company is billed for the Farmers' Union Theater for a week, commencing Monday next.

Supervisors Church and Mitchell were in town yesterday.

The Livermore Water and Power Company received a large shipment of material yesterday and will at once begin work on their new line for electric street lighting.

Rev. Jonathan Ilion of San Jose has moved with his family to Livermore and will occupy the pulpit in the German Lutheran Church.

Maas Luders is in the city on a brief trip.

John Yukota and wife have returned from a visit to San Jose.

Miss Zina Yandiroof is spending a few days in Modesto.

County School Superintendent Crawford was in town yesterday.

Town Marshall Smith is busily engaged in collecting town taxes.

Mrs. Thos. Scott is visiting friends in the city.

Deputy Sheriff George Wales was in town yesterday on official business.

David Wetherow, a Livermore farmer, is said to be critically ill from a stroke of paralysis following a bad attack of malarial fever.

Mrs. W. P. Bartlett of Daguerre is in Livermore, having been hastily summoned on account of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. M. Laumeister.

A number of Livermoreans are at Midway today attending the auction sale of the Maers estate.

PICTURES OF THE FAMOUS PASSION PLAY.

The famous Oberammergau Passion Play will be shown on the screen at the Y. M. C. A. Hall next Monday and Tuesday evenings. Dr. and Mrs. Burnett, who were at the play, will have charge of the affair.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH.

Rev. Dr. J. A. O'Meara, rector of St. Andrew's Church, has returned from his trip to Stockholm and will conduct the services both morning and evening at St. Andrew's on Sunday next.

The members of the Ladies' Guild are working hard on an enterprise to raise the wherewith to have the church painted and the inside frescoed and made more cheery and inviting.

A mistaken report was current that the church would be closed for some time. The rector advises that the church will continue to be the Protestant Episcopal Church of this part of the city as in years gone by and will be open each Lord's day as heretofore.

BROKE A BONE.

Mrs. L. E. Creagh of 515 Clay street broke her thigh bone yesterday by falling on the steps of her house. The fracture was treated at the Receiving Hospital.

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The man who has to listen
Needs the sympathetic ear.
—Washington Star.

Oh, here's to the little of sweet sixteen,
Who views the world with a smile serene.
Who speaks in an autocratic way,
And murmurs a dozen times a day,
"It's perfectly lovely!"When she pauses the mimic stage to scan
And fixes her eye on the leading man,
She says, as she follows his every pose
And notes the cut of his brand new clothes,
"He's perfectly lovely!"She said that the male with the waving
hair,
And the ostrich whose walk is so very
queer,
And the pickaninny with china eyes,
And the pumpkin that won the State Fair
prize,
Were "perfectly lovely!"And we who hesitate to forgive
Her over-zealous superlative—
What wouldn't we give for the youthful
spell
Which makes the world that we know
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three-quarter length, with bell-shaped
sleeves and de Mott collar, with a gored
yoke, over the seams of which is run a
lace insertion with black velvet baby
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is a sort of cream white chiffon, with
long ends in front, reaching nearly to the
knee. On the bottom of the sleeves is a
band of the insertion and velvet, and the
whole is lined with white silk. Surely
a more charming or dainty evening wrap
would be hard to find.

A beautiful party dress for a debutante
is of white net over white silk.
The waist is made with a round yoke of
insertion running diagonally, and ending
in the back. The full fronts are slightly
pouched. Around the neck is a collar of
crushed turquoise blue velvet, and the
bottom of the waist is finished in similar
manner. The skirt has three rows of
insertion running diagonally the length
of each seam, and the bottom of
it is finished with a very full dounce,
set on in deep Van Dyke points, and
edged with three rows of the insertion.

as can be found in out-of-date shawls
and handkerchiefs.

A handsome hat is of hunters' green
velvet, with rather high crown, finished
with bias folds of the velvet, all covered
with tiny French knots made in white
silk, and ending at the back with ends
falling over the hair. Around the brim,
which is faced with shirred white silk,
caught up with a jeweled buckle, is a
long curling white ostrich plume.

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modern life to see a young couple, when
starting to furnish a home, go out with
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of the furniture offered at these stores
is cheaply put together, and by glue
and thick coats of varnish is made
only to sell. It barely gets into the new
house before it falls apart, and what
was thought to be a cheap purchase
turns out to be a very expensive investment.
It is strange that folks cannot
get it through their heads that a bed, a
table and two chairs, honestly made, are
cheaper at sixty dollars than one of those
fearful concoctions known as "bedroom
suits" which are sold at forty dollars and
eighty-three cents. Furniture "suits" of
any kind, whether they are parlor, dining-
room, library or bedroom "suits," are
the most expensive things that a young
couple can buy, for the reason that they
invariably contain articles which are of
no earthly value in a house. Besides
that, no young wife of any taste will

allow a chamber in her house to be fur-
nished with articles of furniture that are
all of one kind. Nothing stamps the
badly furnished chamber so quickly as a
"suit" of furniture.—The Ladies' Home
Journal.

There has been no more eccentric ban-
quet served than that partaken of in Lin-
coln recently by a couple of well known
antiquaries.
Practically, the dinner was a vegetarian
one, consisting, as it did, of apples, bread,
butter and wine. The apples were taken
from a hermetically sealed jar unearthed
at Pompeii. The bread was made from
wheat looted from a recently opened
Egyptian tomb, the hieroglyphics thereon
showing it to have been grown in the
reign of that Pharaoh "who knew not
Joseph" and who afterwards perished,
together with his armies, in the Red Sea.
The butter, discovered on a stone shelf
in an ancient and long disused well, dated
from the days of "Good Queen Bess,"
while the wine was old when Columbus
was a boy, and came from a vault in
Corinth.

ounces; sweet almond oil. Melt over slow
fire, then add an ounce of gum camphor,
keep in jar and use freely.For brown spots on the skin try this
application, though the sufferer should
look to the condition of his liver. These
spots, as a rule, are caused by some dis-
turbance of this most important organ.
Mercuric iodine—coarse powder,
twelve grains; extract of witch hazel,
two ounces. Mix these and mop the spots
twice a day. This is a most effective
remedy. This lotion is poison, so it should
not be left within reach of children.

Godmothers may be interested to know
that silver forks and spoons and goblets
have ceased to be de rigueur for christen-
ing presents. You give your godsons
what you choose, but little white neck-
ties, whether of diamonds, pearls, enamel,
moonstones or white beads of any sort
are just now the rage for goddaughters.
White bead neckties from Venice are
eagerly snapped up by mothers and god-
mothers for their baby girls. Also pret-
ty and inexpensive are mother-of-pearl
strings of beads, only needing to have a
pretty gold or pearl snuff, as costly as
you will, attached to them. These treas-
ures are sold in shops where Florentine
jewelry, corals, mosaics, etc., are sold.

one little boy's hand went up. The teacher
improved the opportunity to laud the
little boy for his knowledge, and lectured
the balance of the school for their lack
of understanding. Then she said: "Now,
Johnny, tell the school what a butters is."
"Butters, ma'am," answered Johnny,
with a bright and happy smile, "it's a
manny goat!"

Miss—Did you tell the lady I was
out?
Servant—Yes, ma'am.
Miss—Did she seem to have any
doubt about it?
Servant—No, ma'am; she said she
knew you wasn't.—Glasgow Times.

MARRIAGES in Kondeland are Peculiar

Holiday
Time
in the
Studios.

not shown at other times of the year.
It is said that one reason of the ex-
treme popularity of hand-painted
china is its utility as well as beauty.
To be sure it's a little expensive to
gratify one's taste in that line, but
here is no hobby quite so pleasing as
the collection of rare china.Recognizing the universal liking for
these dainty articles, an Oakland
whist club has decided to have all of
its favors this year of hand-decorated
china, and has engaged Miss E. M.
Porter to do the work. The club meets
fortnightly, so she has quite a little
contract on hand. Miss Porter has a
studio up on Broadway admirably
suited to her work. In it she has two
kitchens, for she does her own firing, as
well as that of pupils and friends.
Miss Porter was formerly a pupil of
Miss Herrick, now Mrs. Standerford,
and her work has long been known to
Oaklanders.

On the evenings of December 3 and

4 she will give an exhibition of her
work, and those who receive cards of
invitation may count themselves in-
deed fortunate, for she has a treat in
store for such. Particularly hand-
some are two claret jugs, one in
cherries, the other something entirely
new—pink cones done in a back-
ground of those dark, soft brown tints
so fashionable nowadays. An en-
ticing item is covered with hops buried
in a mass of shaded greens. There
are any number of pretty things on
hand as well, but for the most in-
teresting bit in the studio is Miss
Porter herself. She is wrapped up
in her work, and is often engaged by
half-past seven busily plying her
brush.She works with quick, decided
movements, seldom makes a wrong
stroke, and, wonder of wonders, can
talk while she works. One of the
interesting disclosures made during a
recent visit was that her mother
possesses a priceless heirloom in the
shape of a copy of "The Magic Flute"
personally used by the great Mozart.
Miss Porter's father was a musician,
and to him was given, by one of Mo-

zart's heirs, this great treasure.

freshening and strengthening about it,
and its mere presence is like an elixir.
One can forgive a good many things
to the girl who looks merely pretty,
and it is small wonder that faded
men pay court to her.

Showing her best when she's plain
"home-maid."
—New Orleans Picayune.

The girl for her consent, and after ob-
taining it he calls on her father and
tells him of his project.

Woman's Work in THE Clubs

Pleasant
Luncheons
at the
Ebell.

in all Oakland. In the first place, the
luncheons, provided are good—a consid-
eration not always to be found in wo-
men's clubs—the table linen is of the
finest—the china ware dainty, and the
glasses sparkling—with water of
course. Added to that, pretty gowns
are in order—enough of them to refute
the old saying that women dress simply
to please the men. It is self evident
that these ladies seek to please them-
selves—each other—one of the two.
Men are not admitted to the luncheons,
but sometimes they appear before the
club as singers or lecturers, on which
occasions their efforts to entertain al-
ways seem highly appreciated.

ties of the Forum Club.

tain people. It is co-educational, and
three women of the Massachusetts as-
sociation have given \$100 each to fur-
nish a "Lucy Stone reading-room for
girls."

who graduated in 1894, and having been
one of the most zealous workers in the
graduate club since its formation in
1895, has been unanimously chosen for
the position. Her chief work will be
in helping to find suitable positions for
those graduates who cannot afford to
give all their time to their studies for
higher degrees.

ed it with total indifference.

good and bad points of houses within
range.

In the Field of Literature.

NEW PUBLICATIONS THAT ARE INTERESTING THE LITERARY FOLKS.

"Before the Dawn" is a story of Russian life by Pinchoff Noble. The scene is laid in Russia thirty years ago and the political excitement of that time, the demands for reform, and the details of life by the government, the plotting and the spy-system, the arrest and the exile of students—all are strongly depicted. Under and through all runs a deep current of romance. The author of this work is also author of "Russia and the Russians." He has been aided in his work by his wife, who is a Russian by birth. The intimate knowledge of both of these people of Russian life gives special value to this story. The details of Russian life have, for a number of years, been a subject of great interest to the people of this country. They have been exploited upon the stage and have been extensively set forth in serial and other publications. The publicity thus given them has had a great influence upon the thinking people, not alone upon this country, but upon those of Russia itself who have lived to witness a number of reforms made in their behalf. There is a captivating charm in the style in which the book is written which will make it readable in every section. It is gotten up in fine style by Houghton, Mifflin & Co., Boston and New York, and retails for \$1.50.

OUR NATIONAL PARKS. "Our National Parks" is John Muir's latest contribution to contemporary literature. In it, he publishes a number of sketches which were first printed in the Atlantic Monthly. In these he shows the beauty, grandeur and all-embracing usefulness of the wild mountain forest reservations and parks. His purpose is to invite people to come and enjoy these great places of relaxation, repose and study and thought, so that, at length, there may be an appreciation of their value as well as of the uses which they may subserv for the people of the country. Of course, Yosemite is given considerable attention. It is viewed from the standpoint of an enthusiast, and there is no person, even one who is a frequent visitor to this great garden of nature, who cannot read Mr. Muir's pages with the keenest delight. The book has all the beauty and invigoration of the mountain top, and it is easy for one to imagine oneself in Mr. Muir's company as he ascends to giddy heights and descends into cavernous depths in this great wonderland of the nation. The book is liberally and artistically illustrated. It is published by Houghton, Mifflin & Co., Boston and New York, and sells for \$1.75.

BY THE WATERS OF SICILY. "By the Waters of Sicily" contains the letters of a brother to a sister, a series of vivid pictures of life in Sicily, telling about the people and all sorts of Italian things, and finally, a delightful romance. The first half of the letters are dated from Syracuse and give color to the title. The rest of them are devoted to Castrogiovanni, high upon the mountain Giegenti, where the sulphur trade centers, and Palermo, the largest part of the book is made fascinating and unusual by intimate pictures of Sicilian life. It certainly inspires one to pay a visit to that beautiful place.

The book is written by Norma Lormer. The style is high, easy, graceful, and dignified, and captivates from the beginning. The work is profusely illustrated with reproductions from photographs and contains also a colored frontispiece from a painting by Margaret Thomas. It is really the finest of its kind that has appeared for many a day. It is published by James Pott & Co. of New York, and sells for \$1.75.

THE MOST FAMOUS LOBA. "The Most Famous Loba" is a romance by Nellie K. Blissett, author of "From the Unsound Sea," and a number of other works. The book comprises a series of chapters, each of which is a times a romance, and the most illustrious lady, his wife, Azalea de Toulouse, Desires, in religious knowledge, as Cullen, Abbot of Caracass, in the County of Caracass, a brother of the Cistercian Order.

These chronicles are written in memory of Raimond Roger, Viscount of Ruziers, the son of Raimond Tallifer, and the most noble Azalea, his wife, whose equal there was not in all the world for beauty and courtesy and generosity and for such qualities as make a great woman and a most gallant knight, perfect in all the accomplishments of peace and foremost in all feats of honor and arms. The style is rich and flowing and admirably suited to the lofty ideas to which it sometimes gives expression. The book is published by D. Appleton & Co., New York City. It is the latest addition to the Town and Country Library and sells for 50 cents.

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EXCELLENT PLAYS AT MACDONOUGH.

"SHORE ACRES" AND MRS. LE MOYNE WILL BE AT THE MACDONOUGH.

INTERESTING PLAY AT THE DEWEY.

James A. Horne's beautiful romance of the New England coast, "Shore Acres" will be presented at the Macdonough tomorrow night and it is safe to say standing room will be at a premium.

This is the tenth consecutive season for this intensely interesting story of the quiet doings and sayings of the honest old Yankee, Uncle Nat and his rural companion Ma Berry.

Farm life on the historic Eastern coast will be shown in all its quaintness and while there is no attempt to point

which has taken place in the dress of fashionables, inasmuch as it will exhibit the chivalric trappings of a romantic age of long ago. Mrs. Le Moyne is surrounded by a company in keeping with the high character of the star, and her coming is awaited with interest.

THE DEWEY. A genuine melodrama of the new school, full of life and good scenic effects, is to be produced at the Dewey Theater next week. Manager Stevens has made elaborate preparations for the production of "The Man of War's Man" and no expense has been spared to give a high class production. This is considered to be one of the most sensational pieces on the stage today, and it requires quite an army of people to present it. Landers Stevens takes the leading part, supported by a strong company.

THE TIVOLI. Pollard's Australian Juvenile Opera Company has caught the town with their cleverness in the present big success, "The Belle of New York," and the management is making preparations for a long run. There are fifty members in this unique organization, and their ages range from 7 to 15 years. They have been trained under careful and thorough supervision.

CENTRAL THEATER. A mammoth spectacular production of the famous melodrama "Lights of London" will be the attraction at this popular playhouse next week, and no pains are being spared to make it a noteworthy presentation.

ALCAZAR. The Alcazar's offering for the coming week will be the meritorious play



MRS. LE MOYNE.

a moral yet one can not help feeling better mentally and spiritually after witnessing its representation and many eminent men in the field of art and literature claim that if there were more such plays the wholesome denunciation of the stage by the pulpit could not long survive.

The simplicity of "Shore Acres" is one of its greatest charms. One feels himself translated to the rock-bound coast of Maine, the meadows around you and the singing waters in front. Above you God's blue sky and near you the sturdy, rugged, honest folk of the land of the American Yankee. Among the players in this standard production this season are: James T. Calloway, Atkins, Lawrence, Herbert Flansburgh, William H. Burton, H. P. Whitmore, Charles E. Fisher, James Burrows, Allen Cronin, and Misses Marion Cullen, Belle Thaddeus, Mattie St. John Cronin, Sadie Cullen and a quartet of little children who are remarkably clever.

MRS. LE MOYNE COMING. Mrs. Sarah Cowell Le Moyne, in a grand presentation of a historical success called "The First Duchess of Marlborough," written especially for her by Charles Henry Heller, will be the attraction at the Macdonough on Tuesday and Wednesday next. This meritorious Eastern success will be given with a wealth of courtly splendor which will take us back to the days of chivalry in Queen Anne's reign. The play itself is a comedy of the manners and customs of English aristocracy about the time of the battle of Blenheim, and is historically accurate in costume and action. The play is one that has proven an admirable vehicle for the fine gifts and finished art of Mrs. Le Moyne, and Oakland theater patrons should prepare for a dramatic treat.

"The First Duchess of Marlborough" will serve to show the great transition again on our tables and is a commendable issue. Published at Point Loma, California.

HARPER'S WEEKLY. The advances made in automobile construction and operation are superbly illustrated in the pages of the current article entitled, "A Day at the Schley Court of Inquiry," will be found interesting. Published by Harper & Bros., New York.

THE LIVING AGE. This weekly journal is again at hand and contains as a leading feature a thoughtful article by Ada Cone on "The Art Problem in the United States." The other contributions are of marked worth. Published at Boston, Mass.

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